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West Virginia Legislature

Senate Finance Committee

Thursday, January 31, 2019

3:00 p.m.

Room 451-M

The Senate Committee on Finance met at 3:00 p.m. in room 451-M on Thursday, January 31, 2019. Senator Blair, Chairman, called the meeting to order and the committee clerk took a silent roll call to establish a quorum.

The Chairman recognized Senator Prezioso for approval of the minutes from the January 28 and 29, 2019 meetings. The motion was adopted.

Members present: Senators Facemire, Ihlenfeld, Hamilton, Palumbo, Prezioso, Roberts, Swope, Sypolt, Tarr, and Chairman Blair.

The Chairman recognized Mary Jane Pickens, Deputy Cabinet Secretary, West Virginia Department of Administration to present the department's budget and to answer questions of the committee. Dana Eddy, Director of Public Defender Services, was also recognized to answer additional questions of the committee.

Chairman Blair recognized Austin Caperton, Cabinet Secretary, West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection, to explain the department's budget and to answer questions of the committee. Scott Mandirola, Deputy Secretary for External Affairs, Harold Ward, Deputy Secretary for Operations and James Martin, Chief of the Office of Oil and Gas, to answer additional questions of the committee.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chairman recognized for a motion to adjourn and declared the motion adopted.

Craig Blair, Chair

Date

Tammy Shamblin, Committee Clerk

Date